

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ARA-10 ISO-00 FEA-01 ACDA-07 CIAE-00

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FM AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2090

INFO USERDA HQ WASHDC

AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

AMCONSUL SAO PAULO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TECH, PARM, BR

SUBJECT: BRAZIL'S REQUEST FOR HIGHLY ENRICHED RUANIUM (HEU)

REF: BRASILIA 4288

1. CNEN HAS REQUESTED EMBASSY TO PASS TO STATE AND ERDA  
FOLLOWING CONCERNS OVER HEU FUEL FOR IEA, SAO PAULO, RESEARCH  
REACTOR:

A. CNEN HAS INFORMATION THAT USNUCLEAR CORP (FUEL-ELEMENT  
FABRICATOR) PROBLEMS ARE DUE TO USG BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST  
COMPANY - REQUEST VERIFICATION AND CLARIFICATION.

B. CNEN HAD SENT US NUCLEAR \$148,000 TO PUT IN TRUST FOR  
PAYMENT TO ERDA FOR HEU- CNEN REQUESTS ASSURANCE THAT THESE  
FUNDS WILL NOT BE AFFECTED BY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST COMPANY.

C. CNEN REQUESTS COMMENTS ON JUSTIFICATION FOR HEU OF REFTTEL  
AND INFORMATION ON SCHEDULE FOR RELEASE OF HEU AND EXPORT  
LICENSE.

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2. CNEN ALSO REQUESTS STATE/ERDA COMMENTS ON PHYSICAL  
SECURITY PLAN FOR PLANNED COBRA REACTOR SUBMITTED AT USG  
REQUEST ON MARCH 21, 1977.  
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## Message Attributes

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